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In re application of: **KRAETZSCHMAR, et al.**

Serial No: **09/831,968**

Filed: **May 15, 2001**

For: **SELF-RECOVERING CURRENT-LIMITING DEVICE WITH LIQUID METAL**

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an **Information Disclosure Statement** in the above-identified application.

☐ Small entity status under 37 C.F.R. 1.9 and 1.27 has been previously established.

☐ Applicants assert small entity status under 37 C.F.R. 1.9 and 1.27.

☒ No fee for additional claims is required.

☐ A filing fee for additional claims calculated as shown below, is required:

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☐ Petition for extension under 37 C.F.R. 1.136 (in duplicate)

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☐ Filing fee for additional claims under 37 C.F.R. 1.16

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☐ Other:

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☒ Any filing fee under 37 C.F.R. 1.16 for the presentation of additional claims which are not paid by check submitted herewith.

☒ Any patent application processing fees under 37 C.F.R. 1.17.

☒ Any petition fees for extension under 37 C.F.R. 1.136 which are not paid by check submitted herewith, and it is hereby requested that this be a petition for an automatic extension of time under 37 CFR 1.136.

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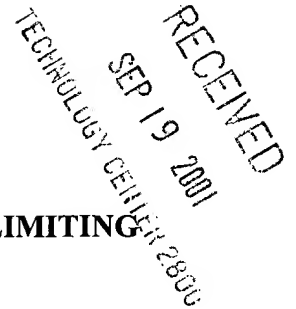
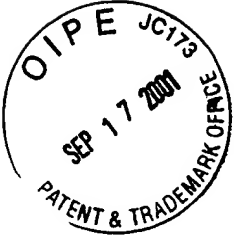
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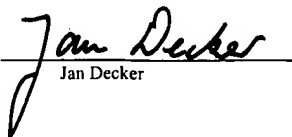
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In accordance with the provisions of 37 C.F.R. § 1.97, Applicant hereby makes of record the documents listed on the accompanying PTO-1449 Form (2 pages) for consideration by the Examiner in connection with the examination of the above-identified patent application. Also respectfully submitted herewith is a copy of the International Search Report (3 pages).

This Information Disclosure Statement is filed under 37 C.F.R. §1.97 (b), before the mailing date of a First Office Action, therefore no fee is believed due.

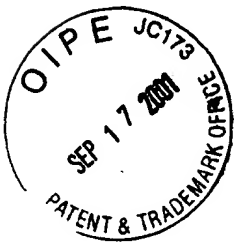
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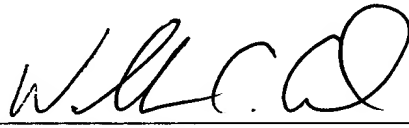
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It is respectfully requested that the references cited in the accompanying PTO-1449 form be considered and made of record. It is respectfully submitted that the pending claims are patentable over all of the references made of record at this time.



Respectfully submitted,

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